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TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No. 6270/60
Serial No. 09/814,436	Filing Date March 22, 2001	Examiner P. Assouad	Group Art Unit 2857
Inventor(s) Blackett et al.			
Title of Invention COMMUNICATIONS ARCHITECTURE FOR INTELLIGENT ELECTRONIC DEVICES			

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Amendment and Response; Postcard receipt.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for a _____ month extension of time.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.
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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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10 Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 23, 2003 and the Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment mailed May 14, 2003, please enter the following amendment:

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